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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action mailed on 10-03-2003 and the notice of non-compliant amendment mailed 02-09-2004. Please amend the application in the following particulars.

CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the United States Patent and Trademark Office, (703) 872-9306, on February 17, 2004.

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